

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Marchand et al.

Examiner: A. Small

Serial No.: 10/049,284

Group Art Unit: 1626

Filed: June 17, 2002

Title: METHODS FOR PREPARING PERFLUORINATED [18F]-RADIOLABELLED  
NITROIMIDAZOLE DERIVATIVES FOR CELLULAR HYPOXIA  
DETECTION

Fee  
purpose  
only

**BRIEF ON APPEAL**

**Mail Stop Appeal Brief-Patents**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**Real Party in Interest**

The present application is assigned to the Universite Catholique de Louvan, by means of  
an assignment recorded at reel 013091, frame 0948.

**Related Appeals and Interferences**

6/07/2004 RHARMON 00000005 133402 10049284 There are no known related Appeals or Interferences.

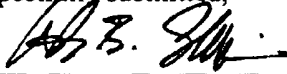
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**Status of Claims**

Claims 6-8 and 26-34 are in active prosecution and are on appeal. Claims 1-5, 9, 21 and  
35 have been canceled, and claims 10-20 and 22-25 are withdrawn.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3402.

Respectfully submitted,



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